

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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For: Radio communication apparatus and pilot symbol transmission method

STATUS INQUIRY LETTER

Assistant Commissioner of Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The applicant's respectfully request that the USPTO provide an indication of when the next Office Action on the merits may be expected to issue in this application. A written notification to the undersigned would be appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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